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For: IMAGE COLLECTING DEVICE, IMAGE RETRIEVING DEVICE, AND IMAGE COLLECTING AND RETRIEVING SYSTEM

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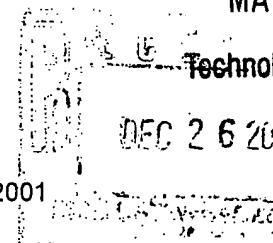
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## Title

Video collecting device, video searching device, and video collecting/searching system

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the specification of which

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